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## APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of Siau-Way Liew, Costas Tsougarakis, Claude D. Arnaud, Philipp Lang, Daniel Steins and Barry J. Linder for NOVEL IMAGING MARKERS IN MUSCULOSKELETAL DISEASE, which claims the benefit of provisional application serial no. 60/411,413, filed September 16, 2002.

Enclosed are:

- 28 sheet of drawings.
- A claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119/363 in a separate document the declaration.
- A claim for priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(e)(1) in a separate document the declaration.
- A certified copy of the priority document.
- Applicant claims small entity status.
- pages of Sequence Listing.
- Sequence Listing on diskette.
- Statement to Support Filing and Submission in Accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821-1.825.
- Other: return receipt postcard.

The declaration of the inventor  is enclosed  unsigned.

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A. Basic Application Fee	\$750
B. Total Claims 88 - 20 = 68	x \$18      1224
C. Independent Claims 30 - 3 = 27	x \$84      2268
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I. TOTAL FEE (G + H)	\$4242

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